

Extreme Violence has permeated network programming. The gore, the gruesome depiction of criminal violence shown on CSI, Law and Order, Without a Trace, Las Vegas, Navy CIS, and other programs like these has been taken viewers to an unacceptable level of repulsion. The visual severity of the violence does not make the story line any more intriguing --- in fact, it repels me as a viewer to the extent that I turn off the television.